

## CURLING CLUB MAY HAVE TWELVE RINKS

Good Prospects for Curling Season  
—Ice Now Being Prepared—

Present indications point to a membership of twelve rinks in the curling club this winter. Right rinks are completed, and four others are in a partial state of completion. The first is as follows, the first name being that of the skip, next the third man, the second and last.

The names in brackets are uncertain.

Dr. W. F. Keith, W. J. Redmond, I. Whitcomb, Art Flanagan.

H. F. McDonald, Chas. McKinnon, Jas. Nelson (Wood).

C. H. McMillan, W. J. Smith, R. Martin, M. Gorman.

E. P. Currie, I. Young, H. T. Johnson, Dr. Geo. Haworth.

A. McKee, J. Shorance, W. Simpson, W. K. Webb.

Wm. McLaws, A. Simpson, A. Yule, Hugh Gayford.

Dr. B. E. Barlow, H. Biecher, C. Enright, McCleery.

Dr. A. G. Scott, L. Newby, (L. Edwards, Wm. Noble).

W. Flanagan, Rev. P. C. McCrea, J. Summerhail.

Geo. Miller, Jas. Stinson, Joe Stiles.

A. E. Pierson.

Last season there were fourteen rinks, the largest number since the club was formed.

Ice on the Way

Irvin Young, rink caretaker, started making ice early this week. The weather has not been cold enough for rapid ice making, but the ice man is making good progress under the prevailing conditions.

CHRISTMAS MAILS

FOR BASANO

Parcels and other mails for Basano country should be mailed early this week, and in order to ensure delivery before Christmas day.

There is always a very heavy shipment of mail around Christmas time. To avoid this rush and speed up delivery of Christmas mail it is advisable to ship at an early date.

SKATING RINK

WILL SOON BE

READY FOR USE

Irvin Young Appointed Caretaker of Curling and Skating Rinks

Preparation of the ice sheet at the skating rink is under way, and with cold weather the rink may be opened this week-end.

Irvin Young is caretaker this year for both skating and curling rinks.

The work of building up the ice sheet began early this week, and good progress has been made to date. Today, Thursday, the temperature rose considerably, and if the weather continues mild the opening of the rink will be delayed.

The caretaker has been taking full advantage of the cold nights, and several times he has worked late into the night in building the rink.

## Gem News

GRM, Nov. 19—Bert and Pitch Keeling are driving a Chrysler sedan these days.

Robert Barber, of San Diego, arrived in the colony Wednesday last. He and his mother, Mrs. Barber, plan to return to the States in the near future.

Mrs. E. James and baby son came home last Wednesday from the Basano Hospital.

Mrs. Barber and Robert, with Williamson, spent a pleasant Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLaws, of Basano.

A big dance is to be held in the first school house Friday evening, Nov. 21. Excellent music. Don't forget the date. Proceeds in aid of the Christmas party for the school children.

Turkey raisers of Gem who intend to ship through the turkey pool will please see A. P. Miller for packing arrangements. The turkeys will be placed to Duchen on Dec. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace, of Glenora, passed through the colony last Tuesday on their way to Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Douglas are spending their holidays in Toronto. They are attending the Royal Fair there.

Miss Irene Fox spent last week-end with Mrs. Joey Gray.

Bert and Pitch Keeling took a truck load of hogs to Calgary last Saturday.

Mrs. E. A. Jones, of Beynon, is expected in the colony in the near future where she will spend an extended holiday among her numerous friends.

Ted Keeling, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Keeling, of Calgary, is expected home for Christmas.

Two carloads of wheat were shipped out of the colony Tuesday last. Also a carload of cattle shipped by Mr. Goeling to Calgary.

Olga Teitz is a patient in the Basano Hospital. She is suffering from eye trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were Saturday callers at Mrs. Miller's. Mr. Johnson is doing some repair work on the telephone.

Ward Simpson is

New Sun Life Man

Local Young Men Join Staff of Big Life Insurance Company

Ward Simpson, of Basano, has been appointed Basano representative of the Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada, succeeding E. A. Beck who is moving to Lethbridge as district manager of the same company there.

Mr. Simpson takes over his new duties on December 1st. He has lived many years in Basano, and has a wide acquaintance in the district.

John Mackintosh, of Brooks, M. L. A. for Bow Valley, is the new union agent for the Sun Life. He has been with the company for several years.

Mr. Beck expects to leave for his new post in Lethbridge about the 10th of December.

TEA AND CANDY SALE

A tea and sale of candy will be held at the home of Mrs. A. McKee on Saturday, November 23, from 3 to 6 p.m., under the auspices of the Junior girls of Knox Sunday school. The proceeds are for the Woods' Christian Home, Calgary.

## Rumors Say Brownlee To Manage Pool Selling Agency

Reports Say Alberta Premier Will Act Either as Liquidator or General Manager of Central Selling Agency—Rumors are Denied.

PORTLAND, LA. PRAIRIE, Man.

Unless the leading banks cease their support, the Canadian Wheat Pool is not going into liquidation, stated Colin H. Russell, president of the Manitoba Wheat Pool, in an address Thursday night. "I don't think the banks will forsake the pool—we're all on the same raft," he added, speaking of the convention of United Farmers of Manitoba.

The following story was published in the Calgary Herald from Ottawa.

WINNIPEG—Grain trade and agricultural leaders of the prairies were stirred Thursday by fast traveling rumors, coming from Ottawa, that the Canadian Co-Operative Wheat Producers' Limited, the central selling agency of the western wheat growers, would soon announce voluntary liquidation with the approval of Hon. J. E. Brownlee, premier of Alberta, as liquidator.

Another said that there would be a reorganization, within the next two weeks, of the central selling agency, and that Mr. Brownlee, at a salary of \$15,000 a year, would assume the general management, a position vacated last year by E. B. Ramsey when he accepted the chairmanship of the board of Railway Commissioners.

But soon came denial from Mr. Brownlee, and his minister of Agriculture, Hon. George Headley, who the rumor had slated to succeed to the premiership of Alberta.

"There is nothing in the rumor at all," said Mr. Headley, "and the statement of Premier Brownlee in Montreal.

"The rumor is without foundation," Mr. Headley, "I have never heard anything but what was in the papers and I don't believe a word of it."

The policy of "strict silence" was maintained by Wheat Pool officials, both here and in the west. All refused comment on the rumor, but one declared, "If our wheat could be disposed of as quickly as these rumors developed we would be in a splendid position."

Seeking relief for the western farmers, Mr. Brownlee and his colleagues, Premier John Brocks, of Manitoba, and A. J. McPhail, Wheat Pool representative, were understood to have continued conferences with eastern bankers at Montreal Thursday.

No statement had been issued early Thursday evening, and none was expected until the western premier had concluded their earlier ventures.

H. W. Wood Approves

Appointment of the Albertan to the general management of the central selling agency would have the approval of H. W. Wood, president of the Alberta Wheat Pool and United Farmers of Alberta and a power in the agricultural world of the west.

"Mr. Brownlee undoubtedly would be a good man for the position," he said in an interview.

Market Rallies

While the rumors spread Dominion-wide and denials quickly followed, the wheat market here sought to regain lost ground and made a creditable showing on the day's trading after the 8-cent slump of Tuesday. Optimistic news of increased export sales along with the entry of continental and United States buyers' representatives in the pit of the local grain exchange Thursday, urged values forward after early weakness.

It was declared Thursday by the Winnipeg Free Press that the Wheat Pool is carrying operations of some \$7,000,000 bushels of wheat, through sales of 1929 cash wheat on which the pool was obliged to take back the option or forego the sales. No attempt was made to force them back on a weak market. The Free Press said:

The heavy break in the market last week called for additional margin and that was obtained from the banks, the amount being placed in the account of the 1929 crop which is covered by the provincial government's guarantee. The western producers accept the responsibility and there is to be no forced selling of

these options.

"In regard to the 1930 crop it would seem that the banks must take the stand of not forcing sales of it either, and in this connection it is thought that the federal government may be induced to take a hand."

Loans \$20,000,000

The Ottawa despatch to the Winnipeg Tribune placed the loans, on the financing of marketing of the 1929 crop at \$20,000,000. It said: "As-katchewan government is involved to the extent of \$12,500,000 and Manitoba and Saskatchewan to the extent of \$3,500,000. As against its obligations on behalf of the pool, there are some \$17,000,000 worth of physical assets in Saskatchewan."

The despatch indicated that in order to protect itself the Saskatchewan government would take over operations of pool elevators until the "pool is on its feet again."

The Wheat Pool, however, has already insured the government of the prairie provinces against losses in guaranteeing the 1929 crop. In a statement issued at Regina Monday, Hon. Howard MacKinnon, provincial treasurer of Saskatchewan, said the pool had insured the governments against loss. He said the Wheat Pool was giving the government security on all of its surplus assets consisting of elevator properties, both terminal and country. The assets totalled more than \$17,000,000.

It admitted there will be losses on the 1929 crop, unofficial estimates ranging from \$10,000,000 to \$10,000,000, but pool authorities refused to discuss the matter.

The amount of the losses, it was known until the full balance of the 1929 crop has been fully disposed of. The pools, it has been stated, with the approval of provincial governments, plan to take care of any loss out of ordinary revenue, spread over a period of years.

Many Enjoy Fine Chicken Supper

A large crowd of hungry children and grown-ups partook of the chicken supper served by the Ladies Aid of Knox Church last Wednesday evening, Nov. 19.

It was a wonderful meal that the ladies served, and many people complimented on the skill of the cooks who prepared the great variety of dishes with which the tables were loaded.

The ladies realized a total of about \$165.00, which included receipts from the sale of work. All of the articles were not sold.

## SUGAR BEET GROWERS' ASS'N TO MEET DEC. 1

Meeting Will be Held in Brooks. Officers Will Give Reports, and Discussions Will Follow on Prospects of Industry.

A meeting of the Bow Valley Sugar Beet Growers' Association will be held in Brooks on Monday, December 1, at 2:00 o'clock p.m. All members of the association, and everyone interested in the beet sugar industry and its development in this section of Alberta is invited to attend this meeting.

The officers will have some important information to communicate to the members, and there are many points to be discussed.

Wm. McLaws, secretary of the association, during the past few months has been gathering facts and figures relative to the growing of sugar beets and the marketing of beet sugar in Alberta. This he will present at the meeting for the information and discussion of the members.

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## Hussar News

HUSSAR, Nov. 19—The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Clifford on Thursday. Thirteen members and visitors made Christmas candy for the weekend.

It was decided to buy one hundred plates for the kitchen. Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Brown, on Jan. 16.

Miss Marjorie Jans left Tuesday for Calgary.

Mrs. E. A. Holland and Madeleine Holland and Lila Clifford motored to Calgary and High River for the weekend.

Mrs. F. B. Reeves went back to the Basano Hospital on Saturday. Miss Norma Milroy accompanied her.

On Nov. 8, in Calgary, Miss Edna Kuehn, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Kuehn, was married to Parks Smith, Rev. Bundy, of the First Baptist Church, performed the ceremony.

The J. V. Elliott has been on the sick list for several days.

Measles, Holliston and W. A. Walters motored to Basano Tuesday evening to attend the pool meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Armstrong were Basano visitors on Tuesday.

Mr. Keener motored to Basano on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Clifford motored to Arrowwood on Tuesday.

Mr. Karmel, Mrs. J. Oster, and Miss Oster motored to Basano on Tuesday.

The Girls' Club will hold its regular meeting on Wednesday evening at Lila Clifford's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bell, F. R. Hayes, Gordon LeGrand, and Roland Christensen motored to Basano Tuesday evening.

The Masie entertained their ladies at a delightful bridge party on Monday evening. Mrs. L. L. Woodford and W. D. Moffat won the first prize, and G. W. Nelson the special prize.

J. H. Stiles, of Basano, was a Hussar visitor Monday evening.

Makepeace News

MAKEPEACE, Nov. 19 Well-kidies, Santa Claus will soon be here. Tom Maffion, LeGrand, and Roland Christensen are busy making arrangements for Santa to be here on time.

Say, girls, did you know Johnny Clark is driving a new Chevrolet car? Come on, let's go!

Frank King, of Basano, is spending a few days with Bill Herford.

Gordon and Donald Walker spent Sunday with Harvey Jorgensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Carlson have moved to the Harris old place for the winter.

Gordon Jones was in Basano on Saturday taking E. C. Martin to the train. E. C. was leaving for Spokane, Wash., to spend the winter.

Tom Maffion, Herman Jorgensen, and Chris Jorgensen made a business trip to Basano Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Weir were visitors to Basano on Tuesday.

LOCAL POOL MEETINGS

HOLD MEETING

About forty members of the Alberta Wheat Pool









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into the hands of every farmer in  
the country," a patient medicine  
seller in a small town told  
crowd around his stand preparatory  
to selling them his medicine at a  
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admonished a farmer in the crowd.  
"Just have it printed on the backs  
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A reader who doubtless has a  
kindness for animals, has sent in  
the following:  
Mary had a little lamb  
Which drank Bassano water.  
It now is looking pale and wan  
Just like it didn't oughter.

Our poetry editor has added an-  
other four lines:

The lamb it was a frisky cuss,  
But now it's weak and weary,  
For lambskin's full of bacillus  
And life is drab and dreary.

What about your Christmas  
shopping? Start now and avoid a  
last minute scramble a few days  
before Christmas.

Speaking of Christmas, the word  
"Xmas" is often used in place of  
the word "Christmas." "Xmas" is  
vulgar and meaningless. It is the  
product of an age in which beauty,  
rhythm, and clarity are often sacri-  
ficed for the sake of brevity and the  
saving of time and space.

Down at Port Perry, Ontario, a  
farmer had his entire flock of seven  
hundred chickens stolen. Some-  
body is liable to get put in the coop  
for this.

The hall insurance companies are  
having tough times these days, too.  
Hall insurance companies operating  
in Alberta are more than a mil-  
lion dollars this year. As a result  
of the heavy loss the companies may  
withdraw from operations in Alberta  
next year. We foresee resolutions to  
the provincial government advocat-  
ing government hall insurance.

The Bassano skating rink will  
probably be opened this weekend.  
This is good news for those who  
love winter sports, especially for the  
boys and girls. A few weeks ago it  
was rumored the skating rink might  
not operate this winter. For the  
past few years the skating rink has  
been operated at a loss to the rink  
company. Now that the rink would  
operate again this winter is hailed  
with shouts of joy from the boys and  
girls. They love the sport, and the  
exciting and fresh air are conducive  
to their good health.

**PRICE FIXING**  
One of the most important ques-  
tions before the people of Canada  
today is "What will happen if the  
federal government guarantee a  
minimum price for wheat?"

That something is seriously wrong  
with the wheat raising industry in  
this and other countries is freely  
admitted. The cost of production  
appears to be greater than the selling  
price. A market cannot be  
found where the wheat can be sold  
at a reasonable profit to the grower.  
The risk growers are advancing a  
plan for the federal government to  
fix a minimum price on wheat, the  
difference between this and the  
market price to be paid the grower  
out of the funds in the dominion  
treasury.

It is a novel scheme, and would  
lead to stabilize the wheat growing  
industry in it works. It's feasi-  
bility will depend upon the funds  
shown for the minimum price. If  
this figure is very low the treasury  
may never be called upon to pay  
out money. If, however, the figure  
is considerably in excess of the  
market price of wheat at the time  
the plan is sold, the treasury may  
be called upon to pay out huge sums.  
This money would have to be  
raised by some form of taxation,  
and this would mean increased taxes  
which in turn would result in  
greater cost of wheat production.  
Increased production cost would  
make it necessary for the grower to  
receive a greater price for his pro-  
duct, and this would mean increased  
taxation. And so the vicious circle  
would continue unless some method  
of raising the funds was adopted  
that would not affect the grower or  
other lines of industry closely re-  
lated to agriculture.

The price fixing solution to the  
wheat puzzle must involve some  
merit to receive the thoughtful  
consideration which is now being given  
it by the promoters of the three  
proposals. These men are  
now in Ottawa discussing the prob-  
lem with officials of the federal gov-  
ernment. Nothing will likely be  
done, however, until Premier R.  
Bennett returns to Canada next  
month.

In the meantime farmers, merch-  
ants, and other business men are  
feeling the pinch caused by the  
lowest wheat prices ever recorded  
on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange.

**HEALTH SERVICE**  
of the  
**CANADIAN MEDICAL ASS'N**

**HYGIENE OF THE NOSE**

The nose has more than one im-  
portant function. By warming or  
cooling the air we breathe, it ad-  
justs it to the temperature of the  
body. At the same time it moistens  
and filters the air. The nose is the  
organ into which drains the sinuses  
or bony cavities which lie adjacent  
to the nose. A large part of our  
sense of taste really is the sense of  
smell as perceived through the nose.

A healthy nose filters, warms and  
moistens the air before it reaches  
lungs. If we breathe through our  
mouth, the control of the air is  
lost, and the air arrives inside of  
the body without the preparation  
it should have, and which it would  
have received had it been breathed  
through a healthy nose.

The healthy nose does not need to  
be washed out. Indeed, there is  
some danger in the use of washes.  
The way to clean the nose is to blow  
it gently, one nostril at a time. If  
the nose is not healthy, then the  
use of sprays or drops is recom-  
mended by the physician to relieve  
the condition and to restore the nose to  
a healthy state in which it is best  
able to do its work and to cleanse  
itself without interference.

Two symptoms which most com-  
monly occur and which indicate  
that there is something wrong with  
the nose are obstruction to breath-  
ing and excessive secretion from the  
nose.

When a child cannot breathe freely  
through the nose he becomes a  
mouth-breather. This usually  
means that there are adenoids ob-  
structing the nasal passage. Every  
child is born with some adenoid  
tissue at the upper and back part  
of the nose. If the adenoid tissue  
grows beyond a certain size, it ob-  
structs nasal breathing and should  
be removed. In addition to ob-  
structing breathing, it will very  
likely result in partial loss of hear-  
ing if not removed.

When we catch cold, the secret-  
ions of the nose are altered in a way  
which we are all familiar with. The  
cold is genuine because it makes us  
uncomfortable and interferes with our  
work. It is very serious when the  
germs responsible for the cold  
spread to other parts of the body.  
Such a focus of infection should be  
treated promptly.

Obstructed breathing should be  
corrected because it is necessary for  
the promotion of health to breathe  
freely through the nose. Children  
who are mouth-breathers should be  
examined for adenoids, and these  
should be removed if they are found  
to be obstructing the nasal passage.  
Colds should be cared for in order  
to prevent the spread of the cold  
germs, treatment should be secured  
soon even if there are no acute  
symptoms at the time.

Questions concerning health,  
addressed to the Canadian Medical  
Association, 134 College Street,  
Toronto, will be answered personally  
by letter.

**THE CITY OF THE DEAD**  
(By A. E. Hunt)

Here is a city on whose streets  
No statue pagans move.  
No trace of hurrying feet is heard  
Man's active life to prove.

Here in peaceful sleep repose  
Scores of those whose work is done  
Till the archangel's trumpet shall  
sound.

And all about rise to meet the Sun  
No heat nor cold, no joy nor grief  
Can reach them where they rest.  
Nor earthly cares disturb them now,  
Nor Satan's hosts can them molest.

It seems to me the springtime's tint  
Is tender here than elsewhere  
When the summer sun more brightly  
shines,  
And autumn's rain makes grass  
more green.

The winter snows more spotless lie  
Upon the stones that mark the  
place  
Where those we've loved and lost  
await  
Await us in that hallowed space.

The Planet's Complaint  
"What's wrong with this world,  
anyway?" asked one business man  
feeling the pinch caused by the  
lowest wheat prices ever recorded  
on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange.

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tially, he is worth \$1,396. This figure  
is the per capita wealth of Canada,  
according to figures compiled by the  
bureau of statistics which place the  
aggregate wealth of the Dominion,  
exclusive of undeveloped natural  
resources, at \$23,940,000.

Individually the people of British  
Columbia are the wealthiest in the  
 Dominion. (Wough Ontario ranks first among  
the provinces in total wealth. Tar  
per capita wealth of British Colum-  
bia is \$4,329. Alberta is second  
with \$3,717; Saskatchewan third  
with \$3,613; Ontario fourth with  
\$3,063; Manitoba fifth with \$2,986;  
Quebec sixth with \$2,759; Nova  
Scotia had the lowest figure with  
\$1,589, while Prince Edward Island  
had \$1,706, and New Brunswick  
\$1,977.

**GET READY FOR THAT  
HOWLING BLIZZARD**

There should be really no excuse  
these days for the automobilist who  
neglects to prepare his car for the  
winter, but to make sure the Jack  
Front will not unexpectedly swamp  
down and play havoc with any car  
auto service officials are warning  
owners, notifying them of the ad-  
visability of changing oil and grease

and checking up on a number of  
little details that mean a saving in  
time and temper. They advise  
the tightening of all electrical  
connections, the cleaning of battery  
terminals, spark plugs and commu-  
tators with the charging rate ad-  
vanced and the spark plug points set  
at correct clearance. The ignition  
timing should be adjusted and the  
carburetor set to give a richer mix-  
ture. They recommend draining and  
flushing the cooling system and in-  
spection of the radiator hose before  
anti-freeze solution is placed in the  
radiator.

Call around on your garage or  
service man and have him check  
up on the various mechanical de-  
tails that require special care for  
winter driving.

Atcho!  
Socialist: "After all, what is the  
difference between the rich man and  
the poor man?"  
Bustarder: "The rich man has  
a car, the poor man has a cold."  
On a Striding Cruise  
Mother: "Why are you sitting  
there when you ought to be in bed?"  
Father: "There's a mosquito in my  
room."  
Mother: "It hasn't bitten you, has  
it, darling?"  
Peter: "No, but it came close  
enough for me to hear its propeller."



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## What shall we give?

BACK through the centuries Christmas has always been a time for the giving of presents—big or little things to delight and gladden the hearts of children and their elders.

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Branches at Calgary and Edmonton

Deeply Moved  
"Are you married?" they asked the bachelor.  
"Alas, no, thank heaven," he answered.

Miss 1936  
"Darling, may I kiss your hand?" asked the young man with old-fashioned ways.  
"Sure, kid, hug to it," said the Modern Jane, "but be careful you don't burn your nose on my cigarette."

Still Another Roach Story  
"A party of tourists was enjoying the wonders of the Grand Canyon. A native passing by was asked by the driver of the car:  
"I say, neighbor, can you tell us what caused this terrible gorge?"  
"The rider gazed fondly at the wonderful sight, then replied:  
"Well, they say a Scotsman once owned a ranch near here, and one day he lost a golf ball down a gopher hole on his private course."

### THE BLOOD NOW

(Experimental Farms Note.)  
Dry, well ventilated and reasonably warm sleeping quarters, exercise, good wholesome food and plenty of water from which the chills have been removed, are the main essentials in the successful handling of brood sows during the winter months.

Expensive and elaborate pigsties for the winter housing of dry brood sows are unnecessary. All they require is a clean, well ventilated and reasonably dry sleeping berth. Such conditions are difficult to provide in either a permanent pigsty or an ordinary stable as permanent shelters are likely to be poorly ventilated, damp and unsanitary and there is little opportunity for exercise. Brood sows do not suffer much from low temperatures providing the shelter is dry, free from draughts and such a nature as to protect the animals from wind and storm.

At the Dominion Experimental Station, Lacombe, Alberta, the 6 by 8 foot portable colony houses have proven very satisfactory. Winter shelters for dry sows. A number of these are ranged side by side and banked to the eaves with straw leaving the fronts open and facing south. A heavy tarpaulin, hung over the door breaks the wind and provides suitable protection for the sow. Each 6 by 8 foot colony house will comfortably accommodate 4 mature sows. The colony houses are placed some little distance from the feed trough in order to force sows to take exercise. Weak pigs are probably more often due to lack of exercise on the part of the sow than to any other factor.

An important consideration in the care of the brood sow is the feed. Throughout the winter she should be kept in a thrifty condition, but not fat. Overfeeding of the breeding stock will almost invariably produce small litters with a high mortality. The brood sow should not be fed exclusively on a grain ration but must have some roughage and bone building material if she is to produce a large and thrifty litter. This she can obtain from skim milk, tankage, or legume hay. A satisfactory ration made up of two parts ground oats, one part ground barley and one part bran fed dry. A mixture of 75 pounds stacked coal, 20 pounds salt, 3 pounds ground limestone and 1 pound of sulphur placed in a box for the use of the sow will supply the mineral nutrients which are needed for the development of the unborn young.

As a measure to prevent puerperal in the young pigs, potassium iodide is given in the brood sows in the following manner. One ounce of potassium iodide is dissolved in one gallon of water and one tablespoon of the liquid per 100 lbs. is added to the drinking water once per day.

H. E. Wilson,  
Dominion Experimental Station  
Lacombe, Alberta.

## Local News

The W. A. of the Anglican Church will hold a sale of home cooking and fancy work at the home of Mrs. Struthers on Saturday, Dec. 6, from 2 to 4 p.m.

Marion Haynes has been appointed to a permanent position as government under at Hryle, Peace River district. He has been doing retail work at Bassano for the past few months. Marion and his wife were in Bassano Wednesday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Haynes. They left Wednesday afternoon for their new home in Hryle.

His Honor Judge W. A. Macdonald of Calgary, is in attendance Nov. 20 at the sittings of district court in Bassano.

J. F. Boyce is inspecting schools in the Cluny district this week.

Mrs. C. Hinds, who has been in the local hospital for the past few weeks returned home last Saturday. She is going to Saskatchewan to visit with relatives for a short time.

Frank Reeves came down from Hussar Monday evening to visit Mrs. Reeves, who is back in the hospital again.

Bassano Lodge A.F. & A.M. held an enjoyable social evening in the Masonic Community Hall on Tuesday of this week. Cards and dancing were on the program.

The Ladies' Aid chicken supper Wednesday evening was well patronized, and the meal was delicious.

W. S. Clark, who is a patient in the hospital here, is reported to be doing fine.

J. H. Stiles was a visitor to Hussar on Monday.

About 13 people signed the contract to bring Chautauque here again next fall.

Mrs. J. E. Blunden and children, of Calgary, were the guests of Mrs. Tubbett in Bassano last week-end.

Miss Violet King has completed a business course, and is now employed in The Eaton Co. store in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bell were down from Hussar Tuesday evening attending the Masonic social evening in Bassano on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Weir, of Maple, attended the Masonic social evening in Bassano on Tuesday.

At this time of the year when apples are so plentiful, housekeepers should utilize them as much as possible. There are so many ways of cooking apples that the cook should not get into the prescribed habit of apple sauce, apple pie, and baked apples. A jiffied apple sauce is a delightful dish and the recipe appears below:

1 tablespoon of gelatin, half cup of cold water, 1 cupful of sugar, 1 cupful of water, 1 tablespoon of lemon juice, 1 cupful of strained apple sauce, 10 to 12 marshmallows.

Soak the gelatin in cold water. Make a syrup by boiling for ten minutes the sugar and water. Pour the boiling syrup over the soaked gelatin and mix well. To the mixture add the strained apple sauce, the lemon juice and the cherries put in small pieces. Pour into individual set molds and allow to set. Serve garnished with whipped cream and red and green cherries.

Shopping de Luxe  
First Aimless Shopper (to second ditto): "Well, dearie, if you're not going to buy anything we might as well look at something new—extensive."

For every man who is able to meet his creditors there are a dozen who are able to dodge them.

## CANADIAN COAL SUPPLIES MANITOBA

OTTAWA, Nov. 19.—One hundred thousand tons of new coal business has developed in the Manitoba market as a result of new subvention made last spring in the movement of Alberta and British Columbia coal eastward, according to F. S. Neale, secretary of the Dominion Fuel Board. Every steam coal mine in Alberta has benefited, says Mr. Neale. British Columbia operators are expected in Ottawa in the near future for a conference on methods of improving their markets.

On the Nanny Side of the Grass  
"My brother is working with five thousand men under him."

"Mowing lawns in a cemetery."

FOR SALE—Child's C. C. M. tricycle, will fit child 2 to 5 years; is in good condition. Apply to Mrs. Robt. B. Wight, Bassano, 19-21 p.

FOR RENT—Five room house; will rent furnished if desired. A. J. Culbertson, phone H306, Bassano.

FOR SALE—Moffat heating stove, set of McCormick Deering sleighs with 21 inch cast shoes, good as new. Will sell both cheap. Apply to Wm. Honey, Bassano. 20-21 p.

FOR SALE—Gasoline lantern, essential stove, small cooking range; cheap for cash. J. A. Harris, box 144, Bassano. 19-21 p.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE OF FRANCIS JAMES FITZSIMMONDS, late of Hussar, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named Francis James Fitzsimmonds, who died on the 1st day of July, 1930, are required to file with the undersigned Solicitor for the Administratrix by the 15th day of December, 1936, a full statement duly verified of their claims, and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed, or which have been brought to her knowledge. Dated this 20th day of November, 1936.

A. L. WILLIAMS,  
Solicitor for the Administratrix,  
Stamford, Alberta.  
19-20 p.

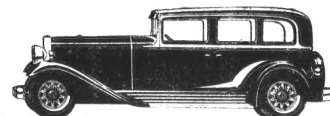
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10 per cent discount on all Beds, Springs, and Mattresses. This offer holds good until December 1st.

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The new shades, Blacktone, Rose Taupe, Buckskin, with the new French heel; in sheer chiffon, silk to the top. Also the Cascade, French Heel. \$1.65

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#### DOLLS

A special purchase; all felt dolls, with felt dress; 16 inches high. 49c

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Order that new suit now for Christmas. May we show you the wonderful range of patterns at new low prices—Tailored by the House of Hobberlin. Fit and workmanship guaranteed.

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SPECIAL, 6 tins of fruit for	\$1.25	PORK & BEANS, Clark's, 3 tins	.39
CHERRIES, glazed, per tin	.35	GRAPES, table, per lb.	.15
RIPE OLIVES,	.25	BANANAS, 2 lbs. for	.25
STUFFED OLIVES, 50c jar for	.39	CELERY, RIPE TOMATOES	
TOMATO SOUP, Campbell's, 3 tins	.39	CRANBERRIES, LETTUCE	

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## Christmas Greeting Cards

The personal card with your name neatly printed, \$2.25 a doz, and up

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Fresh Celery Grapes  
many kinds of Apples

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### Also Specials in Groceries

WE SAVE YOU MONEY BUY FOR CASH AND PAY LESS  
WE GIVE PROMPT DELIVERY

### Local News

Arthur B. Cross, of Calgary, a former Bassano resident, died suddenly last Sunday, Nov. 16th.

**CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT**  
The annual Christmas entertainment will be held in Knox Church on Friday evening, Dec. 19th.

**W. I. MEETING**  
The regular meeting of the Bassano Women's Institute was held in the Oddfellows' Hall last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. E. J. Bell, of Hussar, was in attendance. Mrs. H. D. Blyden gave a paper on "Christmas Customs in Other Lands," and Mrs. French gave a paper on "Legislation."

### Duchess News

**DUCHESSE, Nov. 20.**—Mrs. Morrill, Mrs. Dunsmuir, and Sandy Dunsmuir motored to Bassano today.

Mrs. Purcell and Jean returned from Calgary Friday night, where they spent the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. Nash, of the government telephone department, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Williams, government sanitary inspector, is in town.

Miss Ross expects to give a musicale in the near future. Watch for the date.

The Ladies' Aid had a chicken supper last Friday night. On account of cold weather and bad roads there was not as many as usual, but all report a good time.

Mrs. Wiles, of Stacey, is visiting friends in town. She expects to leave soon for New York.

The hunting grounds of eastern Canada abound with big game and with wild (and very) descriptions as a result of the war game laws and conservation measures of the various provinces, according to A. O. Seymour, general tourist agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, who announced that opportunities for hunters in Quebec, Ontario and the Maritime Provinces were never better than in the present season.

Hon. C. A. Dunning, formerly minister of Finance in the King Administration, has accepted the position of vice-president and general manager of "Lacorne in Quebec," and will enter upon his new duties at once. The appointment was made public recently by H. W. Beatty, as president of "Lacorne in Quebec," make this announcement with a great deal of satisfaction. Mr. Beatty, in view of Mr. Dunning's achievements in Canadian affairs and his outstanding personal character.

Angus Hodgson, well known Montreal big game hunter, back to that city from Banff and the Canadian West reports that he shot one moose, one elk, one black bear and two and a half moose. He also added a caribou to this total which however, got away after a six day chase. "Why on earth more Canadians do not go to Banff for their hunting," he said. Mr. Hodgson declared, adding that was reasonable and big game abundance there.

Unwinding of the memorial to Bliss Carman, noted Canadian poet took place at Fredericton recently and was broadcast all over the Dominion by Canadian Pacific radio network. Sir George, the well known Canadian statesman spoke, regretting the absence of all Canadians in regretting the loss of the great national bard.

A French-Canadian wedding of a hundred years ago was one of the high lights of Quebec's third Folk Dance, Folk Song and Handicrafts Festival which was given at the Chateau Frontenac in that City October 18-19. Features of Old and New France and of the Moets from the prairie provinces were among the other features of the festival which was conceded to have been the most successful of the many produced under the auspices of the Canadian Pacific.

The Nova Scotia apple crop from the Annapolis Valley is now valued at \$1,000,000 and the significance of this figure will be realized when it is recalled that the return from last year's crop was approximately \$1,000,000. Growers affirm there never was a better year in the history of the industry than the present.

In 1930 there were 11,300 acres under tobacco in Canada which yielded 11,267,000 lbs. Faculties estimates for 1930 indicate an area of over 14,000 acres and a production of around 25,000,000 pounds. The greatest increase is in Ontario which grew 30 per cent of the crop in 1930 and 75 per cent this year.

**KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. P. C. McGee, minister  
Sunday, November 23, 1930

11 a.m.—Sunday School. The date for the annual Christmas Entertainment has been set for Friday, December 19th.

7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship: subject, "On Doing Things Rightly." An old fashioned sermon on an old fashioned text.  
Everybody Welcome

## McKee's Stores

If it's good you will find it here, and it must be good to be here. **ASSOCIATED GROCERS** PHONE 9  
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By patronizing this store you get the benefit of the combined buying power of 80 stores in Alberta. "We sell the Best for Less"

We buy all our goods on a Spot Cash Basis  
The following good values for Saturday and Monday, November 22 and 24

DATES, in bulk, new crop, fresh in; Halloway grade; on display in window; 3 lbs.	25 40
SCOTCH OAT CAKES, fresh ship- ment; per pkt.	25
SHORTENING, Domestic band; per 2 lb. tin	40
SMILES, a whole wheat porridge packed in 7 lb. bags, each	41
PEANUTS, fresh roasted, 3 lbs.	40
CANNED CORN, Aylmer, choice grade, No. 2 tins; 3 for	50
DINNER SODAS, A fresh salted soda biscuit by Paulin & Chambers;	35
BISCUITS, Orange Cream Sandwich; per lb.	31
SALMON, pink, No. 1 lb. tall tins; 7 for	59 1.00
NABOB COFFEE, 1 lb. tins	49
LUX, 3 pkts.	29

We wish to mention a few of our regular items such as—

GRAPE FRUIT, choice Florida; 2 for	25c; 1 dozen	\$1.45	SALT	
CORONA COFFEE, freshly ground or in the bean; per lb. 45c; 3 lbs.	\$1.25		This week's arrivals include one straight car of Salt. The car includes coarse cattle salt in bags and barrels; blocks, plain or iodized; dairy in 50s, etc.	
ECONOMY ORANGE PEKOE TEA; 1 lb.	45c; 3 lbs.	\$1.25	We will be pleased to quote on quantity lots to cattlemen, farmers, quantity lots to cattlemen, farmers, or ranchers.	
Can only be procured at an A. G. store.			FRUIT AND VEGETABLES	
A. G. COFFEE, 1 lb. vacuum tin		.55	See our window for supplies of fresh Vegetables and Fruits.	
APPLES! APPLES! APPLES!				
A car unloaded this week. Varieties such as: Delicious, Wagners, Starkes, Jonathans, Rome Beauties, Belleflowers, Winter Bananas, Spys, and Grimes Golden.				
Values from \$1.50 per case				

### The Child's Savings Plan

Last, but not least—The Child's Savings Plan—2½ per cent on purchases. This is a great saving. Money in the bank for your children.

## Ladies' Wear and Dry Goods

THERE IS NO NEED TO GO FURTHER. THE GOODS ARE HERE, THE QUALITY ALSO, AND OUR PRICES HAVE BEEN CUT DEEP TO MEET THE TIMES. HERE ARE A FEW ITEMS OF REAL INTEREST—GOODS YOU WILL WANT RIGHT NOW.

COTTON BLANKETS	ENGLISH WOOL BLANKETS
Large size double Blankets with fine Vicuna Finish; in marl grey, blue, and brown; each with contrasting borders; special price—	Guaranteed Superior Quality English Wool Blankets; weight 8 lbs.; very special value at—
\$3.25 a pair	\$10.95 a pair
SINGLE BLANKETS	PURE WOOL BLANKETS
With fine Vicuna Finish; size 60 x 80; in various colors, mauve, blue, green, pink, yellow, and fawn, all with white borders; very special—	Pure Wool Silver Grey Blankets of superior quality; size 60 x 80, singly whipped; an excellent buy at—
\$4.25 each	\$7.95 a pair

## Men's Wear Department

MEN! Your wants demand our attention. We are meeting them today with merchandise built for service—goods with a reputation or quality, guaranteed for hard wear, and priced less than in many of the city stores.

### Compare These Prices

UNDERWEAR	UNDERWEAR
Stanfield's Red Label, 100 per cent pure wool heavy ribbed combinations; special price	Stanfield's Red Label Shirts and Drawers; the well known quality. Shirts \$2.25 each Drawers \$2.25 each
\$3.95 a suit	\$4.35 per suit



THE FAMED KANT-LOSE PANT OVERALLS—heavy denham, strongly made; great value. \$1.75 a pair

The ever popular RANGE RIDER PANT OVERALLS, the quality for wear; special \$1.95 a pair

THE FAMED MASTER MECHANIC BIB OVERALL, week-end price \$2.25 a pair

MEN'S FELT SHOES, with strong leather soles; special \$2.95 a pair

MEN'S FELT SHOES, heavy felt soles; special \$3.25 a pair

RUBBERS \$1.35, \$1.50, and \$1.75

OVERSHOES \$2.95, \$3.50, and \$4.25

MEN! When in town don't forget that pair of Silk Hose for the Lady \$1.00, \$1.50, and \$1.95 a pr.

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